



## Bonner Barn

The large red barn with the cupola on top at the Floyd Bonner residence on Main Street in Midway was built right after the home of William and Eliza Bonner was built in 1877. They needed it to protect the hay for their purebred horses and

cattle. The original construction of the barn was partly done with wooden pegs instead of all square nails.

When Floyd Bonner and Lois Thacker were married, they moved there to live, and he decided to go

into the dairy business and built milking stalls on the east side of the barn.

The barn was painted several years ago by the family and it is certainly a lovely old barn.